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Letter from Mary Muir to John Muir, ca. 1860

Mary Muir

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Dear John

I am enjoying good health
and hope you are enjoying the same. I have
just come home from the Episcopal church
none of the rest went for they thought
it was too stormy. but the minister
did not come I suppose he thought it
was too stormy for the people to
come his name is Mr. Hudson.

This morning Anna and I went to the
Methodist church and I expect to go again
this evening his name is Mr. Springer
he is a very smart preacher. I went
to the prayer meeting twice in the
Methodist church and I liked it very well
the Presbyterian ministers name is
Mr. Vanzant and I don't know what
the Baptist ministers name is. I have
heard all of them preach and they all
read their sermons but Mr. Springer
and he is the best preacher

of them all he is the best preacher
~~of them~~ I ever heard. John does any
of the ministers at Madison read their
sermons. I like pretty well to live
in the city and I like very well
to go to school, we are going to
have singing in our school now
I like very well to go up to the
railway station and see the engines.
One day after school Anna and
I wanted to go and take a walk
and we went away up past the College
and straight forward to the railroad
and a train happened to be passing
and there was a man in the place
where the engines ^{stop} after they were past
nodded to us and said something
and we thought perhaps it would
be you but we found we were mistaken
write soon if you please. from your

(Take good care of the)
Almira

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affectionate sister
Mary Muir